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CHINLINK INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS LIMITED
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**Chinlink Participated in the Voluntary Activity “Cookery for ALL!”
Creating an Inclusive Community for Students with Moderate Intellectual Disability**

[17 February 2017 - Hong Kong] Chinlink International Holdings Limited (“Chinlink”, HKSE Stock Code: 0997) and its subsidiaries (collectively the “Group”) participated in the voluntary activity “Cookery for ALL!” (“the “Event”) on 17 February 2017. Through the hands-on cooking activities with students with moderate intellectual disability, Chinlink hoped to not only develop self-confidence and sense of achievement in the participants, but also to promote the awareness, understanding and acceptance of people with different backgrounds and abilities.

After the successful collaboration with TREATS in early 2016, the Group once again sponsored the event organised by TREATS this year. TREATS is a pioneer charity in Hong Kong that focuses on children social integration and provides essential integration opportunities for all children in Hong Kong. It aims to integrate children and teenagers of all abilities and backgrounds through the use of experimental learning, play and recreation activities, in order to foster their personal development and enhance their self-esteem and life skills.

In the morning on the Event day, Chinlink Corporate Volunteer Service Team and volunteers from TREATS attended a briefing session provided by TREATS, in order to be well-equipped for communicating with students with moderate intellectual disability. After the session, they were welcomed by students with moderate intellectual disability of HKSVC&IA Chan Nam Chong Memorial School. All of the participants were divided into small buddy groups and started to play ice-breaking games to know each other. Afterwards, the cookery session marked the climax of the day. The group leaders firstly introduced the ingredients needed and demonstrated the steps of making cookies. Then the buddies blended all the ingredients well and cut the cookies in different shapes. Meanwhile, the groups decorated cookies and designed the cookie boxes in creative ways. They washed the utensils and tidied up together once finished the production, fostering the sense of responsibilities of the

students. Students could not wait to share the freshly baked cookies with the volunteers. Everyone enjoyed the joyful atmosphere and the Event ended with cheers.

During the sharing session, a corporate volunteer claimed that they had encountered some communication barriers with the students with moderate intellectual disability at the beginning. After showing their love and patience, the students started to blend in the Event and enjoy cooking with big brothers and sisters. Although the cooking process was simple, it had given the students a great chance to benefit from growing in self-knowledge and improving self-confidence through each tiny cooking step. Volunteers were also surprised by how attentive and enthusiasm the children shown during the cookery session and had a wonderful lesson in building an equal and accepting relationship.

Mr. Siu Wai Yip, Executive Director of Chinlink, said, “This was our second consecutive year in collaborating with TREATS. The event was a valuable opportunity for our volunteers to get in touch with students with moderate intellectual disability, and to have a better mutual understanding and respect for diversification. This experience could also improve self-confidence, spark creativity and actualise potentials in these students, hoping to make the impossible possible. As ‘it is more blessed to give than to receive’, the Group encourages colleagues to participate in voluntary services, in order to give care and support the disadvantage communities, treat people with different abilities equally and put aside our stereotypes and prejudice, so as to create an inclusive community with mutual understanding and acceptance.”



Chinlink Corporate Volunteer Service Team and volunteers from TREATS made cookies together with students with moderate intellectual disability.

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About Chinlink International Holdings Limited

Chinlink International Holdings Limited is a listed company on the Main Board of Hong Kong Stock Exchange (Stock Code: 0997). Chinlink is an alternative finance service provider integrating logistics services into finance services to offer a comprehensive and unique financing platform, optimizing the supply chain cash flow and efficiency for the small and medium-sized enterprises in China and Hong Kong. For business particulars, please visit www.chinlinkint.com.

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